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LAST DAY OF SERVICE FOR SUITS

SEPTEMBER CIRCUIT COURT TERM CONVENES SEPT. 25.

PETIT JURY SELECTED BY THE COUNTY COURT

William H. Houston of Burlington Junction Filed $10,000 Damage Suit Against Railroad.

As today is the last day of service on all suits except notes and accounts for the September term of circuit court, which convenes Monday, September 25, several suits are being filed in the closing hours.

The Petit Jurors.

The county court in session yesterday afternoon selected the petit jury for this term of court. They are:

Ernest McLaughlin, Atchison.
Sam Wohlford, Grant.
A. C. Ford and T. F. Reed, Green.
W. C. Herbert and Floyd Foreman, Hopkins.
J. H. Cooper, Independence.
R. J. Pettigrew, Jackson.
W. J. Farnan and Pat Lyons, Jefferson.
W. P. Lamb and Bert Messberger, Lincoln.
David Wright, Monroe.
Estol Bever and Ben Booher, Nodaway.
John Murphy, Polk.
Frank Murry and T. F. Kane, Polk.
Ben Yager, Union.
James Brady and J. W. Harmon, Washington.
J. D. Rice, White Cloud.
Dan Groves and Ed Goodpasture, Hughes.

W. H. Houston Files $10,000 Suit.

William H. Houston of Burlington Junction filed suit for $10,000 damages against the Burlington as a result of an accident on that road near Ottumwa, Ia., on December 18, 1915. The petition states that Houston, who was a passenger on a stock train of that date, having two loads of fat cattle consigned for the Chicago stock market, received many injuries when the stock train came to a sudden stop, throwing him to the floor and against the stove and seats in the coach on the back end of the freight. The plaintiff says he was in a hospital for eight days and was able to be taken to his home at Burlington Junction, but that many of his injuries are permanent. Jesse F. Robertson of Burlington Junction and Cook, Cummins & Dawson are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Suit Against the Linebaughs.

W. T. Humphrey brought suit against Nancy E. Linebaugh, William J. Linebaugh and Duffay A. Wallace. The petition stated the plaintiff was the owner of a certain tract of land which the defendants are unlawfully withholding and in possession of. Suit for the recovery of the land and $500 damages and $20 a month rent is asked for in the first count of the suit.

The second count of the suit prays the court to determine the title and interest of the parties to this tract of land, defendants claiming the title by and through a will of Jacob Linebaugh, deceased. Cook, Cummins and Dawson are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Thorp Spent $7.50 in Campaign.

Henry Thorp, candidate for public administrator on the Democratic ticket, spent $7.50 in his campaign. Thorp was defeated at the primary by Frank Roelofson.

Probably twenty members of Sedgwick post, G. A. R., will attend the national encampment in Kansas City. At a meeting of the post this afternoon they decided to go in a body and will leave here next Tuesday morning, and will probably remain until Friday.

Good Music **Fern** Cool Clean

TONIGHT

Nothing will be shown that was shown this afternoon

The Crest of Van EndHeim

A Romance of Modern Mexico in multiple reels featuring the Broadway Favorite Adoni Fovieri. Also a Screaming Keystone Comedy in two reels called

WhenAmbroseDaredWalr's

A Special Production

5c You See Stars at THE FERN 10c

8 HORSES HERE FOR FAIR

Many More Are to Come Tuesday—Two Sections of Seats Being Built Around Race Track.

Arrangements for the county fair in Maryville, September 4 to 9, are nearly completion, and within the next week the fair grounds will be a busy place. Eight horses for the races during fair week are already here and many more will arrive next Tuesday. The race track is in good shape and the races promise to be the best yet held.

More seats are being built south of the grand stand, and also a section of seats north of the base ball stand. With the two additions added, there will be nearly double the seating capacity of last year.

H. M'COMMON DIES

FORMER RESIDENT PASSES AWAY AT CORONADO BEECH, CAL.

BURIAL PROBADLY HERE

Mr. McCommon Had Been in Ill Health for Some Time—Came to Maryville in 1869.

Howard McCommon died at his home in Coronado Beech, Cal., this morning, according to a telegram received this afternoon by George L. Wilfley from Mr. McCommon's son, Frank McCommon. Nothing was said about arrangements for burial, but it is thought that the remains will be sent here.

Mr. McCommon had been in ill health for several years, suffering from cancer of the face.

The McCommons left Maryville a few years ago, and for the past two years or more have been living at Coronado Beech. He was born in Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, November 21, 1848. In February, 1868, he came west and settled in the southern part of Nodaway county, on the old Sixteen Mile, or Half-way house, between Maryville and Savannah. There he remained a short time, when he came to Maryville in the spring of 1869 and made his home here until a few years ago.

He was married October 16, 1876, to Miss Laura Jester of Saline county, Missouri. They have one son, Lieutenant Frank McCommon.

FOUR CONVICTS ESCAPE.

Long Term Men Make Spectacular Exit From Jefferson City Prison.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Aug. 26.—Four long term convicts made spectacular escape from the penitentiary early this morning by sawing their way out of their cells and buildings. They were Thomas McCall and William Webber of Jasper county, Harry Morris of Marion county, and Thomas Finnery of Kansas City. The bloodhounds are on their trail.

PACIFIC SCHOONER SINKS.

All on Board Saved as Vessel is Destroyed in Behring Sea.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Seattle, Aug. 26.—Schooner Greatbear, on which John Borden, millionaire Chicago sportsman, and Captain Louis Lane of Seattle set out four weeks ago on an Arctic expedition, was sunk in the Behring sea, August 10, according to wireless dispatch. All on board were saved and landed at St. Matthews island.

CANDIDATES FILING EXPENSES.

Tom Wallace, for County Treasurer, Spent $39, and W. T. Key, for Judge, $11.20.

Tom Wallace, defeated candidate for the Democratic nomination for county treasurer, filed his campaign expense account with County Clerk Yeomans this morning. His expenses were $39. W. T. Key, a candidate for the nomination for county judge of the south district, spent $11.20.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Erickson and daughters, Blanche and Ruth, and son, Harold, motored to St. Joseph yesterday and spent the day.

Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Rhodes of Graham were shopping in Maryville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wells left today for Washington, Kan., where they will visit friends.

Eugene Yehle returned to Maryville yesterday after a visit to Grant City and Bethany.

200 AT FISH FRY

THE COMMERCIAL CLUB'S ANNUAL EVENT A DECIDED SUCCESS.

SIDE LINE ATTRACTIONS

Many Contests Took Place, Which Created Much Fun and Amusement for the Spectators.

An army of two hundred business men mobilized on the banks of the famous 102 yesterday afternoon and for two hours business cares and dignity went a hiking for parts unknown. It was the much-talked-about fish fry and outing given by the members of the Commercial club to themselves. And it was no ordinary picnic, for besides the "eats" prepared under the expert direction of veteran chefs, the members of the club, both old and young, dropped the repose of city life and took to the spirit of earlier days in athletics.

There was the ball game, which was preceded by the dignified formality of choosing sides. And with the exception of the outside of the ball, which was made especially for just such occasions, being of a less hard substance than ordinary base balls, this business men' ball game had most of the aspects of any ordinary ball game. Of course, the umpire did rotten work for one side or the other, and, of course, there was much argument as to the technicalities of the game.

Then the rope climbing contest created one attraction and no limit to sore hands. Only the younger and more active participated in this event.

As a side line attraction the horseshoe played its part. But this seems to have been a game more for the experienced and skilled, as most of the ordinarily staid business men who contested in the horseshoe throwing contest were well past the half century mark.

But the event which brought no end of amusement was the rope pulling contest. For with the fattest candidate for sheriff on one side and the heaviest groceryman in the city on the other, it was certainly not a matter that could be looked lightly upon.

And finally the part most looked forward to: The commissary department having been in action all of this time gave the hurry call, the two hundred lined up and delicious fried fish with the trimmings was served out to them. And, of course, they ate like the hungry boys they were for the time being.

This was the finis to the annual fish fry of the Commercial club. About forty-five cars took the members to and from the fry.

One of the novelties of the entertainment was the manner in which the road to the fry was marked. Hands with the words "Fish Fry" directed the turns in the road and also cautioned drivers to "go slow" at certain places.

S. E. WAINWRIGHT. IA., HERE

President of Lenox Commercial Club Confers With W. R. Jackson Regarding Saints Highway.

S. E. Wainwright, president of the Commercial Club of Lenox, Iowa, was in the city today conferring with W. R. Jackson, secretary of the Maryville Commercial Club, about making an inspection trip over the Saints Highway from St. Joseph to Des Moines and to arrange for some new markings where they are needed. This is to be done before the trip made over this highway by an official of the Blue Book, the official auto guide.

WOODWORTH BUYS OUT LOVE

In the Love & Gaugh Drug Store, on the South Side—New Firm Name Gaugh & Woodworth Drug Co.

George F. Woodworth has purchased the interest of Charles Love in the Love & Gaugh drug store, on the south side of the square. Possession was given at once. Mr. Love is undecided as to his future plans. He has been in business here for the past thirteen years, four and a half years of this time with Charles Gaugh.

The new firm name will be Gaugh & Woodworth Drug Co.

SHAM BATTLE ON ATLANTIC.

Defensive Fleet So Far Playing Havoc With Invaders.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Two divisions of the Atlantic fleet today opened a grand battle for the possession of the North Atlantic coast and now shelling each other with hundreds of blank shells. The defensive fleet so far playing havoc with the invaders.

FIVE DAYS OF FUN

PRESBYTERIAN BOYS' S. S. CLASS ENJOYS CAMP ON NODAWAY.

WOMEN SEND DELICACIES

Mr. Case Gives Humorous Account of Doings at Camp—Also Places Reward of Merit.

The Sunday school class of the Presbyterian church taught by Fred Fehr returned today from a five-day camping trip on the Nodaway river between Quitman and Skidmore. Both William Moll Case, pastor of the Presbyterian church, and Mr. Fehr intended to go, but neither could stay the whole time. Mr. Case went Tuesday and returned Thursday, but Mr. Fehr did not get to go at all, so Prof. G. H. Colbert took his place. The first three days of the camp are well described by Mr. Case in the church bulletin:

The camping party of Kappa Sigma Pis got its first relay off Tuesday noon. Joe Farmer, Martin Lewis, Jr., Howard Martin, Will Van Cleve, Phil Colbert and Mr. Case made up the contingent. They spent the first night on the Joe Carden place, but found the swine too friendly and too insistent on making each and every one play most realistically the role of the Prodigal Son when he came to himself in "the far country." For this and for the reason that it was a long and dusty hike to the fair and shimmering banks of the Nodaway, poor Henrietta was given her final test in the pulling power and endurance when she transferred the camp and campers to the Bilby pasture within several stones' throw of said limpid stream. Here they bivouaced the second night under the twinkling stars and the buzzing mosquitoes.

The following rewards of merit were tendered the first camping contingent before the second group in charge of Mr. Colbert arrived.

Provided a trip to Skidmore dangled before him, the quickest scullerymaid prize went to Howard Martin. The prize for ceaseless activity, Martin Lewis, Jr. Will Van Cleve carried off the palm for "bum jokes" and "Freshman tricks," while Phil Colbert got an easy first as most sanitary. Joe Farmer left all others at the post when it came to the one who manifested the greatest capacity for food values and no questions asked as to its race creed or previous condition of servitude.

Eugene Martin, Harley Hughes, Forrest Hutchison, Kenneth Van Cleve, and "Cotton" Gray came under care of Mr. Colbert through the kindness of Mr. Charles Jackson, who most kindly took them out in his big car. Just what prizes this group will achieve cannot now be accurately explained, though a private audience with Mr. Colbert Sunday would no doubt furnish fairly accurate as well as interesting information.

The return of Charles Jensen in his car—for it was he who made possible the original trip—were among the anticipations for Friday most looked forward to. The foretaste that the mothers sent in way of cakes, etc., that came in the Jackson car, was received with wild hallelujahs. Fred Lewis came out to act as chaperon Friday night—further comment as to good times unnecessary. Mr. and Mrs. Martin took Mrs. Colbert and Mrs. Van Cleve out Friday noon and oh, the feed they brought! This camp will furnish the pastor the occasion for many happy and smiley reflections, for certainly the Kappa Sigma Pi bunch is about the best ever. Great things can be expected of such fellows.

PRIEST COMMITS SUICIDE.

Father Ignatius Tomasin Leaps Six Stories to Death.

Special to the Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—Father Ignatius Tomasin, a Catholic priest, committed suicide today by leaping from the sixth floor of the Hotel Sherman. He was 70 years old. He had come from Albany, Minn., to spend his vacation.

THE WEATHER

Probably cooler tonight; generally fair Sunday with moderate temperature.

Dr. W. W. Turner
OSTEOPATH
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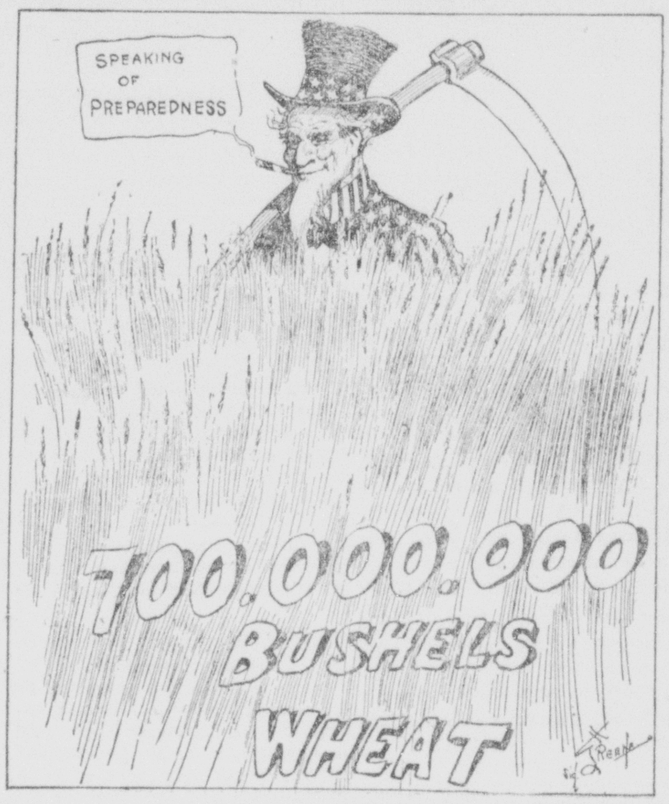
HIS REASON FOR SMILING.



—Greene in New York Telegram.

3 TIED FOR SECOND

THE FEDS, BURLINGTON JUNCTION AND SHENANDOAH DIVIDE PURSE

CORNING TOOK FIRST

Feds Victorious Over Shenandoah by 16 to 3—The Clarinda Tournament Was a Big Success.

The Maryville Feds came home last night in a tie for second money, winning from the Shenandoah team yesterday 16-3. Maryville, Burlington Junction and Shenandoah tied for second place, each winning one game and losing two. Corning took first, winning all three of their games. The Feds lacked a pitcher in the first two games, both Odell and Northrup being hit hard. "Lefty" Clark of Greenfield, Ia., pitched yesterday for the Feds and twirled excellent ball.

The Feds had it all over the Shenandoah bunch yesterday, getting sixteen hits, while Clark held the Iowans to four. Miller got one of the longest hits ever made on the Clarinda diamond, having made the circuit and crossed the plate before the ball had been reached. It was a hit to deep left across the race track. The Feds were not without support from the side lines yesterday. The Burlington Junction boys did all they could in the way of rooting to help the Feds win.

Tomorrow the Feds play Albany. "Lefty" Clark will probably do the box work for the home team. Next Sunday Imogene, Ia., will play the Feds here. The tournament here will be held the week after the fair.

IOWA MAYOR VISITS HERE

L. H. Rowley Makes Second Visit to Maryville With 43 Years Interval.

L. H. Rowley, mayor of Woodburn, Ia., and Mrs. Rowley stopped in Maryville today on their way to Kansas City, where they will attend the G. A. R. encampment being held in that city.

Mr. Rowley visited Maryville once about forty-three years ago and was much surprised and delighted with the growth and improvement of Maryville since that time. The occasion of his first visit here was the sale of sixty-two bushels of clover seed which he brought to Maryville from his home in Afton, Ia. He got $11 a bushel for it here, whereas he would only have received $8 for it at home.

On his return trip he loaded his wagon with apples and peaches and sold them in his home town for double the price that he had paid for them near Maryville. These lucky deals have always made Mr. Rowley think kindly of Maryville.

Mr. Rowley was a member of Company B, Eighty-fifth New York volunteers. He was taken prisoner by the confederates April 20, 1864, and spent eleven months at Andersonville. He is going to Kansas City as a delegate from the National association of Union Ex-Prisoners of War.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowley are guests at the home of Mrs. Anna Messenger during their visit here.

Elias Klaas of Parnell was in Maryville on business yesterday.

REACH AGEAN SEA

BULGARIANS DRAW LINE ACROSS EASTERN GREECE.

TO STOP ALLIES ADVANCE

Forces Can't Invade Macedonia or Attack Constantinople—Many Carpathian Drives.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Sofia, Aug. 26.—The Bulgarian forces operating in Macedonia have reached the Agean coast, thus drawing a line across eastern Greece from the Bulgarian frontier to the sea. This will prevent the allies from invading Bulgarian Macedonia or attacking Constantinople from the European land side.

London, Aug. 26.—Petrograd and Vienna report severe fighting in the Southern Carpathians and bitter hand-to-hand struggles are reported at various points. Vienna reports that Von Hindenburg has recaptured some of the trenches lost Tuesday. The official Petrograd announcement says that the Russians that landed at Saloniki have joined the Allied armies against the Bulgarians in Macedonia. The Saloniki advices say that the Bulgarians have advanced twenty miles in the Seres section. In the center and on the left wing the Allies have gained ground. On the west the attacks on Champagne and Verdun were repulsed. A Paris report says that the Bulgarians captured the Greek fortress Startila, putting the entire garrison out.

British Aeroplane Raid.

London, Aug. 26.—The great German airofroe at Namur, Belgium, was bombarded by British aeroplanes, it was announced. One of the British machines failed to return.

British Steamer Sunk.

London, Aug. 26.—The British armed boarding steamer Dubelany was sunk in the North Sea Thursday by a German submarine. Twenty-four lives were lost.

Another Carpathian Drive.

Berne, Aug. 26.—Huge Russian reinforcements are being massed at Bukowina and Kovel, according to reports. This indicates another tremendous drive against the southern Carpathian passes.

STRIKE MENACE IN ACUTE STAGE

BROTHERHOODS REFUSE TO HOLD COMMITTEE OF 640 AFTER TONIGH

EVERYTHING READY FOR THE WALK OUT

Employes Feel They Are Not Getting "Square Deal" From Executives—Much Dissatisfaction.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Railway strike menace reached its most acute stage today. President Wilson informed railway executives he couldn't guarantee at this session of congress of legislation any demand in return for the railroads' concession of the eight-hour day.

As a counter proposal the railroads demand the compensation the men received under the eight-hour day be arbitrated or freight rates increase to meet the increased expense.

Both sides made final preparations for strike emergency. Railroad executives went into executive session at 10 o'clock this morning to ratify the counter proposition. The employees also went in session to discuss the situation.

The railway executives completed their answer to the president's proposition shortly after 1 o'clock. They notified him immediately and ararngements were made for the committees to see him.

Heads of the four railroad brotherhoods informed President Wilson last night that under no circumstances could they hold their committee of 640 here after tonight. The men, they said, were demanding that they obtain some definite answer from the railroad heads on President Wilson's plan, already accepted by them, or that they be permitted to go home and prepare for a strike. Everything was directed to be in readiness for a walkout whenever the committee of 640 gave the word.

The railroad executives agreed upon a counter proposal yesterday to be submitted to the president today. This plan, holding to the demand for arbitration, which the employees have declared they unalterably oppose.

Throughout the day the executives took the position that the question of the eight-hour day was entirely one of wages rather than of principles. They said they never had voted formally on President Wilsons plan as a whole, but that all of their discussion had shown that it could not be accepted in its entirety. The plan now agreed on was the first presented by the executives since the negotiations began.

Upon reaching the White House last night the brotherhoods informed the president frankly that the men did not believe the railroad heads were giving them a "square deal." They pointed to the long delays that have ensued since the arrival of the committee of 640 from New York, a week ago, and then as a climax to their arguments produced numerous so-called "backfire" telegrams which, they averred, railroad heads were sending out urging their agents to have citizens wire the president at the railroads' expense urging him to stand firm for arbitration of the differences. Their ultimatum followed.

Purl Shell of Wilcox was transacting business in Maryville yesterday.

NOTICE—

We cancelled **"Mysteries of Myra"** because it did not appeal to our Patrons. We have a well balanced program.

Empire Theatre

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MEMBER MISSOURI PRESS ASSOCIATION

Mr. Hughes says the Republicans "mandamused" him into his candidacy. In November the people will issue a writ of habeas corpus and take him out of public life.

It is difficult for the "invisible government" crowd to understand that the American people are behind Uncle Sam and his constitution and flag on land and sea, and that Uncle Sam's voice is their voice, and that their government and not "invisible government" will receive their votes in November.—Madison Times.

William Allen White believes Mr. Hughes is badly advised in making his campaign so largely one of attack on the president. "The president is stronger than the politicians think him," says Mr. White. "To keep him in the limelight, even if the limelight seems to put spots on him, may in the end result disastrously for his opponents." A good many observers agree with Mr. White. They think Mr. Hughes would get more votes by telling the people what he himself will do than by telling them what Wilson didn't do.—Chicago Evening Post.

"As between Col. Fred Gardner, who gained a clear plurality in the rural districts as well as in his home city, and Judge Lamm, who would have been out of the running had it not been for the "delivered" vote in St. Louis, there can be no room whatever for Democrats to argue, and very little for Independent Republicans," says the Charleston Enterprise-Courier. It may be added that the St. Louis vote was "delivered" by Otto Stifel.

"I now repeat that I shall never be a candidate for office again," says Col. Gardner. "My ambition will be to serve all the state so efficiently and with such good results that all the people will regret when my term expires." "This is refreshing," is the comment of the Mexico Intelligencer. It means the chief executive of this state will not use his office to further his political aspirations. Thorough administration of all the state's affairs may be expected from this straightforward business man.

Guests at Raines Home.

Mrs. John W. Raines, E. N. Raines Miss Edith Raines and John Lynn of Tarkio are expected to arrive in Maryville this evening in the Lynn car and will be guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines. Mrs. Raines will remain in Maryville for the winter at the home of her son, H. L. Raines. Miss Raines will spend a few days in Maryville. She is a teacher in English in the West high school at Minneapolis, Minn.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

FISHING FOR FLUKE. HE LANDS A WHALE

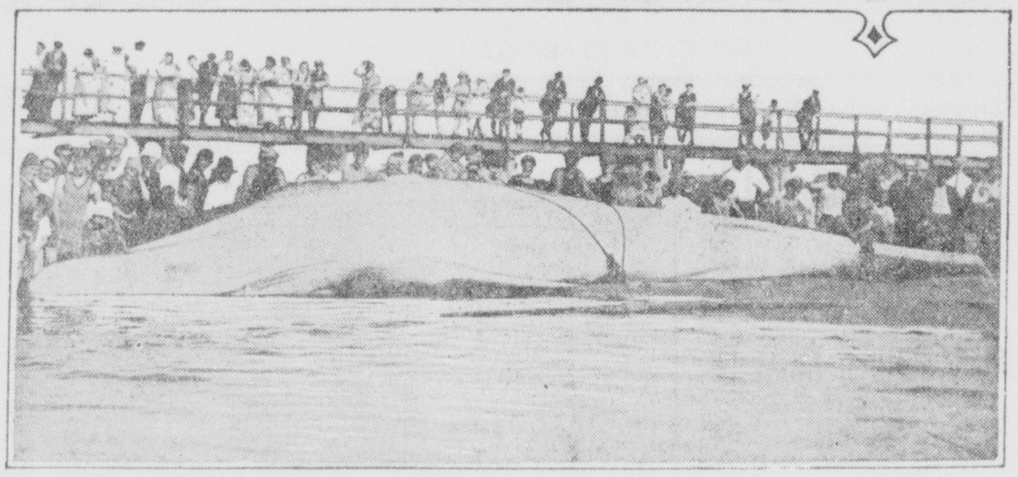

Photo by American Press Association.

Charles J. O'Brien of Belle Harbor Yacht club of Long Island while fishing off Rockaway Beach chased a monstrous whale ashore, where it was killed. He caught three fluke besides.

Lett Spent $26 in His Campaign.

Harry Lett, who was defeated by John Dowden for the Republican nomination for sheriff, spent $26 in the primary campaign, according to his expense account filed this afternoon.

Horace Leet Has a Car.

Horace Leet has purchased a Buick Six of George McMurray, agent for that car.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by the board of directors of Hughes township, Nodaway county, Missouri, until 11 o'clock a. m. of Monday, September the Fourth (4th), 1916, at which time all bids will be opened for the following improvements on the public road leading from Maitland to Graham, Missouri, commencing at the Nodaway river bridge and extending easterly approximately 1,600 feet:

3,000 cubic yards of grading.

3,570 square yards of reinforced concrete pavement.

3,200 lineal feet of 3x12-inch white oak header boards.

144 cubic yards of reinforced concrete for three bridges.

28 Luten trusses clear span 12 feet

12 Luten Trusses clear span 14 feet

All of the above materials and labor to be let under contract.

All proposals shall be on blank forms furnished by the clerk of the board of directors or the Leslie-Barnes Eng'r Co. and shall be accompanied by cash or a certified check in the sum of $425.00, made payable to the county treasurer of Nodaway county, Missouri.

The said board of directors reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Executed by the board of road directors of Hughes township, Nodaway county, Missouri.

GEORGE A. GREESON,
Clerk.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

St. Mary's Catholic Church.
Rev. Father Odilo, O. S. B., pastor.
High mass at 8:30.
Second mass at 10:15.
Evening service, rosary and benediction at 7:30.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church.
Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor.
High mass at 8:00.
Second mass at 10:30.
Evening services, devotions and benediction, at 7:30.

First Presbyterian.
William Moil Case, pastor.
Church school at 10:30.
Subject of sermon, "Fighters for the Faith."
Union evening services at 8 o'clock in the Christian church. The Rev. Gilbert S. Cox will preach the sermon.

First Church of Christ Scientist.
206 South Main street.
Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.
Subject of lesson sermon, "Christ Jesus.
Mid week prayer service at 8 o'clock Wednesday night.
Reading room in Michau building over Townsend grocery. Open from 2 till 5 o'clock each afternoon|
Everyone welcome to the reading room and to all of the services.

First Christian.
C. Emerson Miller, paster.
Sunday school at 9:00.
Morning service at 10:15.
Subject of sermon, "Self-Seeking Then and Now."
Evening service at 8 o'clock will be a union service of the Protestant churches. Rev. Gilbert S. Cox will give the sermon. H. J. Becker will sing a solo, "O Golden Land of Peace."

First Methodist.
Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30.
Morning worship at 10:45.
Subject of sermon, "A Christian and His Money."
Solo, "Consider and Hear Me" (Speaks)—The pastor.
Union evening service at 8 o'clock at the Christian church.
Sermon, "Fulfilling Expectations"—Mr. Cox.

Buchanan Street Methodist.
R. C. Holliday, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:45.
Sermon subject, "Boldness at the Throne."
Union evening service at 8 o'clock at the Christian church, sermon by Bro. Cox.
This is the last Sunday in this conference year, and the pastor would like for every member to be present at the morning service.

Two Teachers Appointed.

Miss Hattie Hutcheson has been employed to teach the White Cloud school northwest of Pickering. Miss Ethel Warren has been selected to teach the New Hope school near Quitman.

T. A. Cummins went to St. Joseph today to transact some legal business.

Other People Notice Your Need For Glasses

even when you are trying to deceive yourself. That canstant frowning and the manner in which you hold things to look at, give you away.

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And just as surely they are WORTH MORE. You've never seen their like before, and you'll never see their like again for the Wirthmor people never repeat a style, and only in the Wirthmor are such remarkable values possible. It's useless to try to tell how good these Waists are—you must see them, or better still, wear one. If you do, you'll be just as enthusiastic as hundreds of thousands of well-dressed women in all parts of the United States.

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The Store Accommodating

New Suits
Have arrived and we shall take pleasure in showing you the New Suits. Prices are very modest considering the advances on all the materials entering into the making of a suit.

New Dresses
Have arrived, among the lot received, were a few EVENING DRESSES, that are very beautiful and you will find them priced very cheap.

Our Buyers write us from New York, that One Piece Dresses, are the proper garment for this fall, and that we shall have the best showing in Maryville, and that all the garments we will show, are the styles approved at the Fashion Show, which was held this week. This will be also true of Our Coat Line, and Separate Skirts and Waists. So this should be of interest to the Ladies of Maryville and Nodaway county.

Our Garments will be some late in arriving because of not buying until after the Fashion Show, but will be here in time for your needs and you will feel well repaid for waiting the few days when you can Secure The Later Models which will be Shown Exclusively at our store.

New Silks and Dress Goods
Are in stock and you will find them very desirable and we, believe the best style line shown in the city.

Whether Your Wants Are
A Suit, a Dress, a Coat, a Separate Skirt or a Shirt Waist this store will be prepared to show you the very latest features in all Ready-to-Wear Garments and they will be different from what you see elsewhere

D. R. Eversole & Son

HOW TO FILL A SILO

CORN SHOULD BE PUT IN WHEN HUSKS TURN YELLOW.

DRYNESS TO BE AVOIDED

Special Attention Should Be Given to Packing Well Around Edges—Air Must Be Kept Out.

No rule can be laid down for filling the silo during a year of short rainfall, says C. H. Eckles of the Missouri College of Agriculture. When the corn matures normally the time to put it in the silo is when the kernels are dented and glazed but the kernel still soft enough so it may be broken with the thumb nail. At this time the husks will generally be turning yellow at the end of the ear. Corn may be put in after it is almost dry if enough water is added.

Where corn is injured by the drouth it should be allowed to stand as long as there is any hope at all of its getting rain to complete its growth. If it begins to die it should be put in the silo, as by this means what feed value it contains will be saved. If it cannot be put into the silo just then it may be shocked and put in later, as tests at the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station have shown that shock corn makes good silage. Of course, it is not as good as that made at the usual time.

When filling the silo remember that silage spoils if too dry or the air is not expelled by thorough tramping. The tendency of late years has been to put corn in the silo too dry. It should be moist enough to wet the feet of the men who tramp it. If too dry, add water by running it into the blower. At least two men are needed to tramp the silage at filling.

Special attention should be given to packing well around the edges. If the walls of the silo are not in good condition repairs should be made to keep out the air. If the doors do not fit well a good plan is to place a piece of tarred paper over the door on the inside allowing it to extend about two feet on each side.

FOR SALE—45 head of stock hogs. All healthy, vaccinated with double treatment. Farmers phone 50-19. 26-2*

SOUR MILK POPULAR

GREAT PREJUDICE AGAINST FOOD GRADUALLY OVERCOME.

Aids Physicians in Combating Intestinal Disorders of Children—Is Nutritious and Wholesome.

Some people have a prejudice against sour milk. Nevertheless, during the past few years it has come into great popularity in the United States. This has been largely due to the influence of Professor Metchnikoff of the Pasteur Institute in Paris, whose death was recently announced, says Dr. M. P. Ravenel of the department of preventive medicine of the University of Missouri.

Metchnikoff made many studies on the prolongation of life, and came to the conclusion that one great cause of death was decomposition of food in the intestinal tract and absorption of the poisonous product. It is a known fact that many nations of the world, especially of Western Asia and Eastern Europe, look upon sour milk as an essential part of their daily diet. Among the Bulgarians, who use sour milk habitually, an unusual number of very old people is found. Metchnikoff believed that this was due to the large amount of sour milk used and showed that by introducing the sour milk bacteria in milk the bacteria which is found normally in the intestinal tract could be driven out and replaced by those given

Tablets containing the acid forming germ of sour milk dried in some inert medium are for sale on the market and have achieved a great success. They are used now by physicians largely in the treatment of intestinal disorders in infants.

Sour milk, whether buttermilk, skimmed milk or whole milk, has much to recommend it. It is a nutritious and wholesome diet for any time of the year, but is especially good during the summer months. It often produces markedly food effects in old people who suffer from intestinal indigestion.

WORKERS FOLLOW FASHION

London Women, Taking Men's Places, Slaves to Tyranny of Style—Flaunt Wealth.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Aug. 26.—The tyranny of feminine fashion, strange as it may seem at this terrible time of war in England, is more apparent now and is steadily increasing.

The women fold of the English working and middle classes and munition workers, some of whom are earning as much as $50 a week, flaunt their wealth. Their costumes are the latest and the smartest that the great Paris houses can supply, and their persons are bedecked with jewelry.

On the other hand, the "grand dame" of society has adopted a more simple and somber type of dress, and clothes herself with economy.

A marriage license was issued to Orville Roy McMillen of Coin, Ia., and Gladys Andrews of Braddyville.

Miss Fannie Heflin of Omaha arrived in Maryville Thursday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith.

N. Pierce and his son, Calvin, of Barnard were in Maryville on a business trip yesterday.

Instant Bunion Relief

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Why continue to suffer the agony, torture and discomfort of that awful bunion when here is Instant Relief Guaranteed—and you don't have to pay one cent unless you get absolute satisfaction.

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TO HELP FARMERS

STATE MUST INSURE AGAINST ADULTERATED FERTILIZERS.

EXPERTS TAKE SAMPLES

Six Inspectors Sent Out to Collect Those Which Must Have Guaranteed Chemical Composition.

Six inspectors from the experiment station of the University of Missouri are soon to start on their yearly fall collection of samples of fertilizers used by Missouri farmers. So much fertilizer is now being used in the state that it has become necessary to protect the farmer from poor and adulterated goods. To do this the Missouri fertilizer law provides that all fertilizers offered for sale in Missouri should be registered at the experiment station; that registration must include a guaranteed chemical composition which, together with a registration tag, must be on every package of the fertilizer; and that the agricultural experiment station must collect and analyze samples of fertilizers used by farmers.

The inspectors are sent out in September and October when the greatest quantity of fertilizers is on the market. They collect samples from the dealers' cars, warehouses, farmers' wagons and other places and send them to the laboratories of the agricultural experiment station. There they are examined to ascertain if the fertilizer offered for sale is in accordance with the registered guarantee. At the close of each year a report is published showing the results of all the samples analyzed. The published report also gives a list of all manufacturers offering fertilizers for sale together with a list of the brands which are on the market. In addition, farmers may send samples of fertilizer to the agricultural experiment station to be examined for them.

During 1915, 177 localities in 63 counties were visited by the inspectors. About 890 samples were taken representing 222 different brands of fertilizers. It was found that though some times the guarantees exceed the product, the composition of the product sometimes is better than represented, and that on the whole the farmers of the state are well protected in the purchase of fertilizers.

Mrs. Clark on Visit.

Mrs. J. S. Clark left for St. Joseph this morning for a visit. She will be accompanied back to Maryville by her daughter, Mrs. May Denny. Mrs. Denny will visit here a short time before going to Mound City, where she has a position as milliner.

Miss Jean Helply spent a few days this week in Conception and St. Joseph. While in Conception she was the guest of her sister, Miss Orlena Helply.

Miss Etha Henderson leaves today for St. Joseph to spend the week with her sister, Mrs. L. R. Criss.

George Brown of Burlington Junction was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

RURAL CARRIERS TO OREGON

Semi-Annual Meeting Will Be Held There Sept. 4—J. S. Muntz of Maryville on the Program.

The semi-annual meeting of the Rural Letter Carriers' association of the fourth congressional district will be held in Oregon, on Monday, September 4, and every rural letter carrier in the district is invited to attend, whether a member of the association or not. That day is Labor day, and will be observed by the postoffices as a holiday.

O. G. Null of Pickering is secretary-treasurer of the association. The following program has been arranged for the day:

10:30—Singing, "America."

Invocation—C. A. Noe, Helena.

Welcome address—Postmaster Harsha, Oregon.

Response—District president M. C. Wachtel, Savannah.

Address—Hon. Sam O'Fallon, Oregon. Song—M. C. Wachtel, B. A. Bonewitz, Savannah.

Address—Hon Jacob Geiger, St. Joseph.

Dinner.

1:45—Report of state convention at Hannibal—G. S. Daughters, St. Joseph.

Need of an Insurance Feature in Our Association—C. A. Noe, Helena

How May We Increase Our Efficiency—J. S. Mutz, Maryville.

Things Not Enumerated in the Regulations Which I May Do for My Patrons—Chas. Nute, Maitland.

Election of Officers.

There will also be some musical numbers by Oregon musicians.

WHISKERS EARN ONE VOTE

Ex-Confederate Soldier to Break Democratic Record for Hughes, Who Doesn't Use Razor.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 26.—"We men of whiskers must stand together," declares William E. Saxton, a gallant ex-confederate soldier, pioneer realty owner and possessed of a beard which might be the envy of a Mohammedan prophet. "We must vote down candidates who use the safety razor every morning," and carrying out these sentiments, Mr. Saxton says he will break a lifelong Democratic record this fall by voting for the whiskered candidate, Charles E. Hughes. Saxton's whiskers are eighteen inches long, going on nineteen.

Mrs. Gay Leeper Returns.

Mrs. Gay Leeper returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit to Excelsior Springs and Kansas City. She was accompanied by her small niece, Freda Josephine Brown of Kansas City, who will visit for a short time.

Miss Frankie Hollowell left this morning for a short visit in St. Joseph. She will then go on to Beloit, aKn., where she has a position as milliner.

Mr. and Mrs. Shoecraft and Mrs. and Mrs. Dragoo of Tarkio were visitors in Maryville yesterday, the guest of Mrs McCrary.

Miss Anna Weber of Butte, Nebr., left for her home this morning after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs W. A. Miller.

Miss Althea Miller and Mrs. James Leffler of Graham were in Maryville yesterday on a shopping trip.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD

Hanamo phone 42. Farmers phone 114

Miss Faris Married.

Miss Anna Faris, a graduate of the State Normal school here, was married last week at her home in Tarkio to Prof. Egbert Jennings of King City.

Mrs. Gaugh, Hostess.

Mrs. Charles Gaugh entertained at dinner today in honor of Mr. and Mrs S. R. Beech, Sr., of San Diego, Cal., and of Mr. and Mrs. George Custer of Kansas City.

Dinner for Visiting Guests.

Mrs. Fred Robinson and her mother, Katherine Miller, entertained at 6 o'clock dinner yesterday evening in honor of Mrs. S. R. Beech of San Diego, Cal., and of Mrs. James Storm and her daughter, Miss Mame Storm, of Okmulgee, Okla., who are visiting friends in Maryville. The guest list was composed of the former neighbors of Mrs. Beech and Mrs. Storm. Besides the guests of honor those present were: Mrs. George Worst, Miss Allie Worst, Mrs. H. B. Torrance, Mrs. J. L. Ritze and Mrs. Arch Frank.

Mrs. J. C. Curfman, Hostess.

The Women's Home Missionary society of the First M. E. church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. J. C. Curfman. The meeting was opened by singing the missionary society song "Send the Message." Devotions were led by Mrs. J. C. Archer and thirteen members answered to roll call. During the business session a pledge for a thank offering of $125 was given, and also a barrel of fruit will be sent to the Kansas City national training students. Others taking part in the program were Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox, Mrs C. F. Remus and Miss Mary Evans. During the social hour music on a victrola was furnished and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. A. C. Nicholas and Mrs. Fred Curfman.

Wilson-Dryer Marriage.

Mrs. D. C. Wilson announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Edith Wilson, to William J. Dryer of Hannibal. The wedding was held August 14, the Rev. Father Henry Niemann officiating. The couple kept their wedding a secret until today, and have been living at the home of Mrs. Dryer's mother since the marriage.

Mrs. Dreyer was born and reared in Maryville. She is an accomplished musician. Mr. Dryer spent last winter in Maryville and was agent for the Adams Express company here. He now has a position as traveling salesman of the National Refining company of Cleveland, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Dryer left this afternoon for a short wedding trip to Hannibal, where they will visit at the home of Mr. Dryer's father, John Dryer, and then they will go to St. Louis for a short stay. They will return to Maryville to spend the winter.

C. E. T's Have Picnic.

The members of the C. E. T. club of Pickering gave a picnic yesterday afternoon at Hanna's grove. The time was spent with games and in kodaking. A picnic luncheon was served. Mrs Leslie Hanna was the chaperon. Those present were: Miss Helen Garten and her guest, Annice Garten of Maryville, Margaret Kelley, Doris Hudgens of St. Joseph. Annice and Mary Scott, Elvina Meyers, Marcella Lincoln, Florence Taylor of Burlington, Ia., Janie Moran, Cecil Porterfield, Doris Gray and Venice Bratcher.

H. H. Club Picnics.

The H. H. club of Pickering gave a picnic yesterday afternoon at Harman's grove in honor of Miss Ida Bosch, who leaves soon for Maryville to attend school. The time was spent in fishing and in taking pictures. The members present were: Misses Eugenia Hull, Eva Burks, Nellie Morford, Myrtle Null, Stella Wilson. The guests of the club were: Misses Golda Carmichael of Poplar Bluffs, Avis Hackett, Hulda and Ruth Lunte, Mary Crowson, Thelma Orme, Josie Wilson, Mabel Null, Marie Burks, Gladys Null and Nellie Clayton.

I. I. C. Meets.

The Ireland Industrial club was entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ed Seipel. After the business session the evening was spent in croqueting. It was decided that each member bring a favorite cake recipe to the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Elihu Shell, Wednesday, September 13. Refreshments were served by the hostess, which were carried out in the club colors, pink and white. Those present were: Mrs. John Halasey, Mrs. Byron Kinsley, Mrs. Lon Hughes, Mrs. Claude Shell, Mrs. Alva Taylor, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. Allen Haller, Miss Lida Onstott, Miss Nellie Halasey, Miss Jennie Duncan, Mrs. Maurice Brennan, and the hostess. Visitors were: Mrs. Onstott and Miss Mary Halasey.

Recital at Hickory Ridge.

Miss May Shipps, teacher of piano, gave a recital Friday afternoon at her home, on Hickory Ridge, near Arkoe. The performance of the class showed careful training on the part of the teacher.

Those who took part were: Misses Neva and Bessie Howard, Margaret and Martha Norris, Florence Busby, May Sturm, Helen Shipps, Thelma Shipps, Margaret Norris, Gertrude Sturm and Hester Shipps. The visitors were: Mrs. Logan Norris, Miss Grace Norris, Miss Esther Busby, Miss Fay Shipps of Ottawa, Kan., Mrs. C. B. Shipps and Mrs. Clark Porter and her son, Robert.

FOUR BOYS TAKING EXAMS.

Are Trying to Win So as to Attend Boys' State Fair School at Sedalia.

Hermon Shinabarger, Frank R. Russell, Eldon L. Job and Ivan Risser are taking the competitive examination today given by County Superintendent Bert Cooper. The two boys getting the highest grades will represent this county at the boys' fair school during fair week at Sedalia.

Fred Robinson went to Des Moines this week with two carloads of Poland-China hogs which he entered in the exhibits of the Iowa State Fair.

Leo McShane and sister, Miss Kathleen McShane, returned to their home in Kansas City after a several days visit here with Mrs. John Vaughn.

FAMINE THREATENS DUTCH

British Ships Are Seizing All Grain Cargoes Destined for Netherlands—Great Scarcity.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Under the direct orders of the Admiralty, the British ships are seizing all the grain cargoes destined to the Netherlands and the Dutch are threatened with a famine, according to the state department advices.

HUGHES IN COLORADO NOW.

Candidate Has Traveled 6,200 Miles in Three Weeks.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Denver, Aug. 26.—Hughes and his party arrived here this morning, and after the meeting tonight will go to Estes Park, where he will remain practically in seclusion until Thursday. In three weeks Hughes has traveled 6,200 miles, and it is estimated that he has addressed half a million people.

FRISCO SECURES CHARTER.

New R. R. Company Gets Document Under New Plans.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Topeka, Aug. 26.—The Frisco railroad secured the Kansas charter today under the reorganization plans. The new company was organized under the Missouri laws.

Mrs. Katherine Miller left today for Kansas City and Oklahoma, where she will visit her sons for a few weeks.

Free! Free! Free!

Nodaway County Fair is not all Free but we give free quarter stretch, free water and 4000 seats free.

We will have a few reserved seats for the business men and the busy farmers that can not get in early and can obtain a seat any time during the day. We also have a few private box seats. We have added to our seating capacity quite a number of free seats which will be given to the public free of charge. We also will have a rest room in the Midway for our friends and patrons without any charge.

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Tests under every condition in all parts of the country demonstrate that it easily develops better than fifty miles per hour on the road.

Speed of course varies under different conditions, but in practically every instance it has been getting fifty miles an hour and with ease.

We have scores of telegrams showing that twenty to twenty-five miles per gallon of gasoline is not unusual.

The performance of this car is almost beyond belief.

Take any other low-priced car on the market. Pit it against this new Overland. Compare them for sheer speed, for abundance of power, for riding comfort and economy, and you'll find this car will back anything else clean off the boards.

That's a strong statement, but a fact nevertheless.

Try it yourself and see.

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Not only has it a large and roomy body, but it has an attractive, up-to-date streamline body.

It has the latest and most improved system of ignition.

It has the cantilever springs—the easiest riding springs in the world.

What's more, it's complete. Not a thing to buy. You get the finest Auto-Lite electric starting and lighting system, magnetic speedometer, one-man top, demountable rims and practically every accessory found on the highest priced cars.

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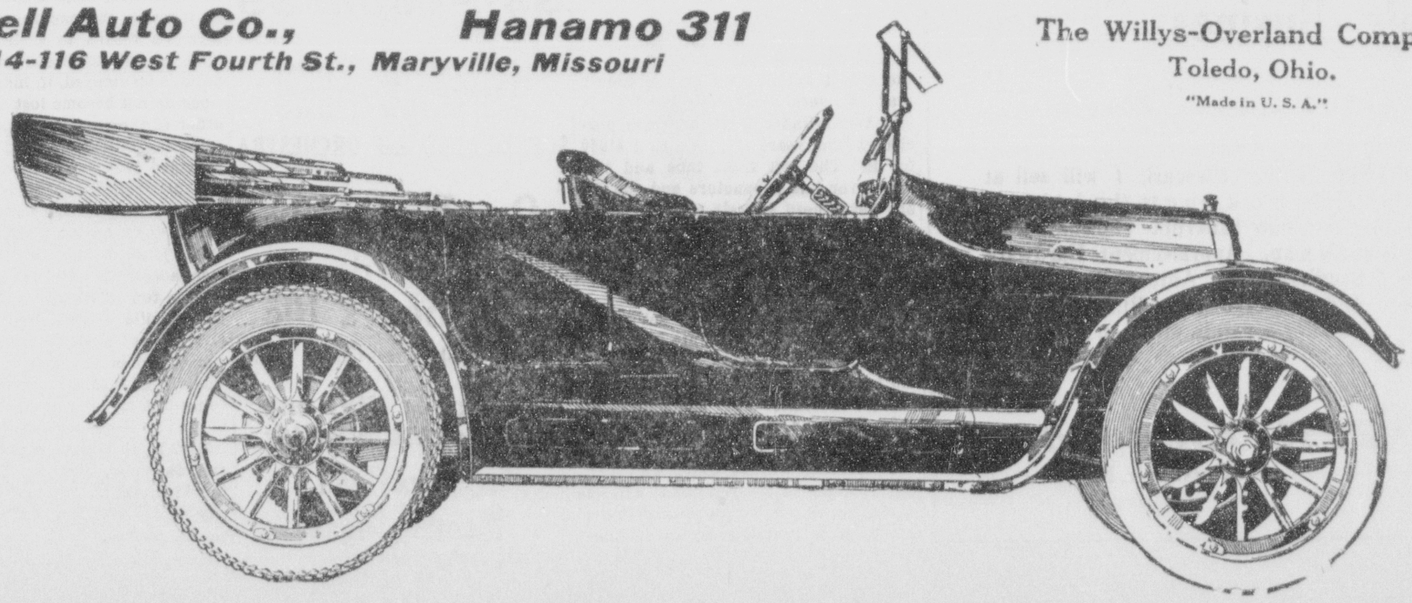

In The Behalf of The

Nodaway County Fair

This is to notify the public that all stock of all kinds, grain and exhibits of any kind does not need to be entered till

Monday, September 4th

First Day of Fair, There will be no entry Fee

First Day No Gate Fee Also Night Free

BABY SHOW

The Baby Show that is put on by Mr. Crow and Mr. Marcell, the Photographers, will be shown in Floral Hall, WEDNESDAY, at THREE o'Clock p. m. See catalogue for instructions.

Free Acts and Racing Programs

Our Free Acts and Racing Programs will be issued daily each day prior to the racing and whatever act will be put on the following day.

Special Premiums

We also have added to our premium list outside of the catalogue a $20.00 prize to be given to the best lady riders, riding side or astride. Anyone wishing to enter this contest must have their names in not later than September 4th, anyone that has not a horse fit to ride and wishes one, the association will furnish it free of charge. We have also added to our premium list outside of the catalogue a $10.00 prize to the best team or teams pulling the most pounds to scales or a load.

A. O. MASON,

President and General Manager

WHAT THE EDITOR'S Nodaway SCISSORS FOUND

CONCEPTION JUNCTION COURIER.

O. P. Bogart returned to his home in Clyde Tuesday after a two weeks' visit in the West. The points visited were Chadron, Neb., Hot Springs, S. D., Encampment and Cheyenne, Wyo., and Denver, Colo. He was accompanied on the trip by his daughter, Mrs. C. V. Roof.

Dr. W. P. Stuckle, who underwent an operation for appendicitis in St. Joseph's Hospital in St. Joseph, last week, is in a very critical condition. From friends who visited him in the hospital today we learn that there is very little hope for his recovery.

SKIDMORE NEWS.

James F. Cook of Maryville finished shelling and shipping his corn from his farm southeast of town Tuesday. He loaded his corn at Maitland.

Rather an odd thing occurred on the Chicago live stock market last Monday. The top price of cattle, hogs and sheep were equal $11.10 per hundred.

Saturday morning we were invited to drive out to the feed lot of Van Goslee's and look at his fat cattle, which he will ship to market in the near future. Mr. Goslee has eighty head of great big fat fellows, all of which are very beautiful. They will average on a conservative guess, about 1500 pounds each, which would make the herd represent 120,000 pounds, or in the neighborhood of $11,000.

CLEARMONT NEWS.

The last two days of the picnic there will be a ball game each afternoon between the Elmo and Clearmont teams.

Rev. Weaver, pastor of the Burlington Junction Christian church, has been secured as one of the speakers on Odd Fellows' day of the Picnic. He will speak in the forenoon, and in the afternoon Grand Secretary Ben Weidel will speak.

If you will just step into the bank and take a look at the samples of corn that has been brought in last week you will sure be convinced that there is some fine corn in this vicinity. The ears are all large and well filled and are as good as you ever saw.

The town board held a special meeting last Friday night and decided to erect a building to be used as the town jail, and commenced work on it at once, and will try and have it ready for use by the time the picnic commences.

ELMO REGISTER.

Geo. B. Radford started this Tuesday morning for his old home in Virginia after an absence of 35 years. He was accompanied by Mrs. James Spangler and Mrs. Chas. Lee, relatives, who will also visit the old home scenes.

The Elmo town board has had the streets mowed, but has not mowed the parkings, only the roadway. Owners of the parkways are expected to keep them clean and in order for their own benefit and because it helps the looks of their property. It will not be difficult to tell a citizen who has no civic pride and who does not care for himself or the town he lives in.

E. C. McCumber has resigned the office of street commissioner of Elmo and W. D. Beaver has been appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. McCumber found that he had too much other work to do to give the work proper attention. Mr. Beaver has had some experience and will no doubt give satisfaction.

PARNELL SENTINEL.

J. P. Scowden has probably one of the oldest automobiles in the county that has seen continuous service. It is a two-cylinder Buick and was purchased nine years ago. He paid $1250 for it. The left front tube and tire has never had a puncture and the air has never been entirely out of it since he first got it. He has his third set of tires on the rear wheels. We don't believe this record can be beat anywhere.

September 1st has been set apart by the governor of this state as "Fried Chicken" day. We can almost smell the young and juicy bird frying now.

The Catholics will commence at once to build a parsonage for the priest on the lot north of the church. The building will be 32x32 and two stories high. A regular priest will be in charge, who will also preach at the Grand River church every other Sunday. The new parsonage will make quite an addition to Parnell and vicinity.

We stood on a street corner Sunday night and watched the automobiles that had lights and those that did not. Out of twenty-seven only two had tail lights, and one had no front light. If this should happen in Maryville, St. Joseph or some other towns around here each one would have a fine to pay. The law states that there shall be two front lights and one rear light.

BARNARD BULLETIN.

Mrs. I. C. Roelofson and son left Wednesday evening for Wilcox where she will visit old pupils. She had a music class of thirty-five there about twenty years ago and one of them, Mrs. Jessie Leffler, of South Dakota, will be at Wilcox for a few days. This will be the first time in ten years that Mrs. Roelofson has seen her.

When men become so bold in the illegal sale of liquor that they will go to a store and sell the empty jugs as vinegar containers, they are surely not much afraid of the law or the people. This has been done right here in Barnard, and not many days ago. One of the men engaged in this illegal business makes it a practice of disposing of all of his "empties" at one of the local stores. Such boldness creates a certain admiration for the man, but we feel sure that he will not sell any more of them. Truly the profit from the "booze" does not seem to be big enough, and he must needs sell the "empties." How long must this community stand such brazen violation of the law?

GUILFORD TIMES.

J. A. Whiteford came up last Thursday from Oklahoma City, Okla., and visited until Tuesday with his relatives here. Mr. Whiteford is superintendent of the city schools in Oklahoma City, which is a very excellent position, and has already received one advancement even before commencing his duties.

Talk about being neutral. Jobe & Ross have a chicken that was hatched out in one of their cases of eggs this summer and has developed into a wonderful fly catcher and bears the name of Wilson-Hughes. The coming November election settles the question of ownership between the partners each having given the name of his choice for presidential candidate.

Tuesday evening the local brought in a human derelict, Abraham Crist, who had his leg broken in some manner while the train was making the Wyeth hill, and the local railroad doctor, D. A. Barnett, set the limb and later took him to Maryville where the authorities there are expected to see that Andrew county supports him, as the accident happened in that territory. This tramp had lost his entire right arm and three fingers on the left hand by a railroad accident some years before and earned his living by begging.

RAVENWOOD GAZETTE.

Last Saturday afternoon from three until four o'clock, the Gazette office was the center of attraction of the town, when R. C. McGinnis came in and put on exhibition a freak pig. Although the pig was dead it was a sure enough freak, with a monkey head and not a hair on its body.

Last Monday an army of Ravenwood citizens left on No. 1 for a two months' visit with relatives in California. Those going were W. H. Slagle, wife and daughter, Ola; Howard Beedle, wife and sons, Gweldon and Raymond; H. T. McMulin, wife and daughter, Vira; and Grandpa and Grandma J. L. McMulin. Which leaves only a few of the best of us to take care of the town.

This is the season when recreation is easy to obtain and when it pays. If you are so old and so grouchy that you can get no pleasure out of a picnic or a lawn social there may be others in you family who are not in such a bad way. Let them forget your worries about the weather; come to the picnic next week and laugh. Come yourself and show them that you are still a boy at heart, even if there is a spot like a full moon on top of your thinking apparatus.

BURLINGTON JUNCTION POST.

Mrs. J. H. Bryant and son, John McJimsey, of Moberly, arrived in Burlington Junction Sunday evening for a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse F. Robertson and other friends here. They will also visit relatives and friends in Maryville before returning home.

The C. D. & E. F. Caldwell show herd of Aberdeen-Angus cattle were put on the cars at Burlington Junction yesterday and started for Des Moines, Iowa, where they will be shown at the Iowa state fair. From there they will be taken to the Minnesota fair, and to all the important fairs and shows in the middle west. The herd is in charge of Robert Johnson and three assistants.

William Tracy of Skidmore was in Burlington Junction Tuesday arranging for some dental work with Dr. G. C. Trusty. Mr. Tracy is now past 90 years old, but steps around as spry as many men of 60. He has spent the greater part of his life in this part of the country, having broken sod on the site where Burlington Junction now stands.

Miss Dorothy Limerick of Savannah is the guest this week of her sister, Mrs. M. G. Wolfers. Mr. and Mrs. Wolfers visited at Savannah and Hopkins Sunday, driving the Limerick car home. Mrs. Limerick has gone to Little Rock for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Court Toel, and Miss Dorothy will visit here with her sister during her mother's absence.

HOPKINS JOURNAL.

The horse sale given by Charlie McMaster of Twin Falls, Idaho, at the Hopkins stock yards last Saturday, was well attended and 32 of the 100 head sold at an average price of $80. The remaining horses were taken to New Market where they will go through the sale ring.

Frank McMillan of Maryville has been appointed section boss at Hopkins to take the place of Charley Cummings, who died by his own hands last week. The new man will move his family here, having rented the Downing property west of the tracks.

Gail Elizabeth is the name of the little daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Galen Goodson, now of Denver, Cool. Galen writes the Journal that the little lady is good looking—adding that she resembles in a striking degree "her pa."

Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, formerly pastor of the Hopkins Christian church, has received a call to the pulpit of the First Christian church of Clarinda, Ia. He has accepted the call and will go to his new work at once. He is a good mixer as well as good talker and will prove popular with his congregation.

The material for the new heating plant for the school building is not here yet, shipment being delayed in some manner, and it may be that school will not open September 4 as planned. It is thought it may be necessary to delay the opening two or three weeks, and if this is the case the time lost will be made up next spring, as it is necessary to hold a nine months term of school in order to remain on the approved list and to draw the money apportioned by the state to approved schools.

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MILITIA FUME OVER DELAY

Much Impatience Shown Because of Inability to Release From Border Duties.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 26.—There is much concern here over the delay the militia boys down on the Mexican border are being subjected to in securing their release from duty. The concern involves many dependent families, not to mention the eagerness of the soldiers to return to their positions in civil life lest their pay in those occupations be stopped, if, indeed, the positions do not become lost to them. The order of the war department of July 5 releasing militiamen with dependents, provided they can secure affidavits of two disinterested persons, is peculiar to say the least. To obtain such affidavits down on the border is difficult. There is an opinion among the militiamen, according to letters received here from a few of the anxious ones in the Brownsville district, that this proviso is a "joker" made in order to keep as many men in the service as possible. The red tape of the war department is being bitterly criticised.

Mrs. H. C. Haines of Sabetha, Kan., and daughter, Mrs. A. A. Slosson of Newkirk, Okla., were visiting in the city Friday with Mrs. Haines' son, Harvey L. Haines.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum

Kansas City, Aug. 26.—WHEAT—September, $1.43⅝; December, $1.48¼

CORN—September, 81½c; December, 74.

Kansas City Live Stock.

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Kansas City, Aug. 26.—CATTLE—Receipts, 50.

HOGS—Receipts, 50. No trade.

SHEEP—Receipts, 125. Market weak.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—CATTLE—Receipts, 700. Market weak. Estimate tomorrow, 16,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 12,000. Market strong and higher; top, $11.12. Estimate tomorrow, 34,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000. Market weak.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Aug. 26.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100. Market weak.

HOGS—Receipts, 900. Market strong and higher; top, $10.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500. Market weak.

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Ducks, per lb	9c
Geese, per lb	7c
Spring Chickens, per lb	15c
Fresh Eggs, doz.	16c
Butter fat, per lb	28c
Hens, per lb	12c
Roosters and stags, per lb	6c
Hides, per lb.	14c

Kochs Return to S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph C. Koch and their two children, who have been the guests of Mr. Koch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Koch, for the last two weeks, started for their home in Harold, S. D., in their car this morning. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. D. Koch, who will visit her son and his family in South Dakota for about two weeks.

To Attend Family Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Beech, Sr., of San Diego, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Beech, Jr., leave today for Clarinda, Ia., where they will attend a family reunion. They will be the guests of Charles Beech while in Clarinda.

Miss Katherine Ordnung of Savannah arrived in Maryville today and will be the guest of Miss Vada Foland for a few days.

Miss Berenice Rice arrived in Maryville last night after a two weeks' vacation spent with her mother in Joplin.

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QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

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LOST—A set of new side curtains, between town and Henry Wells'. Finder return same to George M. McMurray. 24-26

BUYERS are coming to me for farms. List now for easy sales. H. M. Lincoln, Pickering, Mo. 24-26

FOUND—Auto tail light. Owner may have by calling at Sewell's garage and paying for this ad. 24-26

For Sale.

OLD PAPERS FOR SALE—5c per bundle. Call at this office.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boar, eligible to register. Call Guy Aley, Farmers phone 22-19.

FARM FOR SALE—Improved 80 acres near King City, Mo., $80.00 per acre. One-quarter cash, balance 10 years time, 6 per cent interest. H. W. Seeger, Glenwood, Ia. 23-26

FOR SALE—One 1,200 bu. portable metal granary, bought new last year; two self rake reapers, just the thing for harvesting clover or alfalfa for seed. Inquire of Paul Sisson. 20tf

FOR SALE—Lightning hay press, practically new, in first class condition. Will sell at a bargain. Write or phone P. O. Tompkins, Barnard, Mo. 26-tf

FOR SALE—Bay mare, smooth mouth, gentle. Sell cheap or would trade. Chas. W. Smith, Farmers phone, Arkoe, Mo. 24-26*

FOR SALE—New rye, $1.00 per bushel. S. H. Wells, 8 miles southwest of Maryville. 24-30*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Room, close in. Enquire at this office.

FOR RENT—7-room flat over Reuillard's bakery. Inquire Truman Lloyd, 103 N. Buchanan. 16-1*

FOR RENT—Three nice large rooms over the Fern theater. Enquire on premises. 23-30

TO RENT—3 well furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire of Mrs. F. B. Dinsmore, 207 South Buchanan. 26-29*

Wanted.

WANTED—Married man to work on farm. H. D. Mitchell, Skidmore. 25-28

WANTED—Delivery boy at City meat market. 25-28*

WANTED—Jewelry repairing of all kinds. Holmes Jewelry Co. 20tf.

WANTED—1,000 short and bran sacks. Will pay $3.00 per hundred. P. S. Braniger, east side square. 26-29

WANTED—Pupils on violin, Hawaiian steel guitar, ukele, mandolin and other string instruments. Alma M. Nash, 319 West Thompson. Phone No. 10. 21-26

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For Sale--Business Chance

On AUGUST 28th, 1916 at 2:00 p. m.

At ELMO, Nodaway County, Missouri, I will sell at auction the entire property belonging to the late business of Frank Crowdes, now bankrupt. Splendid location for a live busness man. Appraisement: Hardware $2675, Harness & Saddlery $1048, Anto Oiling Station $225, Furniture and Fixtures $200, Bills Receivable (face) $636.00. Will offer separate and then all together.

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